

Table 2.1/Historical. U.S. Merchant Wholesale Trade Sales<sup>1</sup>, Excluding Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices - Total and E-commerce: 2002-2007

[Estimates are based on data from the Annual Wholesale Trade Survey. Sales estimates are shown in millions of dollars, consequently industry group estimates may not be additive.]

NAICS Code	Description	Value of Sales											
		2007		2006		2005		2004		2003		2002	
		Revised		Revised		Revised		Revised		Revised		Revised	
		Total	E-commerce	Total	E-commerce	Total	E-commerce	Total	E-commerce	Total	E-commerce	Total	E-commerce
42	Total Merchant Wholesale Trade Excluding MSBOs <sup>2</sup>	4,150,455	689,319	3,880,751	639,292	3,574,976	582,908	3,296,520	477,904	2,962,284	428,497	2,835,528	366,770
423	Durable goods	1,997,552	283,425	1,929,281	264,487	1,771,835	235,882	1,654,621	209,522	1,448,944	186,617	1,421,503	169,891
4231	Motor vehicles and automotive Equipment	324,957	102,303	324,924	97,861	294,035	88,276	277,765	73,408	257,317	66,283	251,947	63,693
4232	Furniture and home furnishings	65,548	7,465	66,019	7,163	60,949	6,183	58,298	5,577	54,758	5,535	53,484	5,467
4233	Lumber and other construction material	129,267	6,002	144,954	5,848	141,057	5,936	128,624	4,838	105,672	4,432	95,091	3,675
4234	Professional and commercial equipment and supplies	344,740	83,604	324,274	76,494	309,488	66,725	296,276	62,460	272,609	52,561	272,462	44,462
42343	Computer equipment and supplies	175,143	54,534	161,997	51,342	163,137	45,518	157,547	42,558	144,319	34,751	150,618	29,446
4235	Metals and minerals, excluding Petroleum	162,289	3,779	156,560	3,476	135,860	2,892	121,160	2,419	81,393	(S)	81,746	(S)
4236	Electrical goods	311,441	35,746	293,999	35,348	265,868	32,196	253,761	30,429	227,129	27,493	222,957	24,650
4237	Hardware, plumbing and heating equipment	88,890	9,650	90,721	8,302	83,173	7,481	77,524	7,472	71,235	7,185	70,431	6,901
4238	Machinery, equipment and supplies	329,983	12,148	313,046	10,865	288,426	9,628	260,190	7,896	230,838	6,841	227,758	6,249
4239	Miscellaneous durable goods	240,437	22,728	214,784	19,130	192,979	16,565	181,023	15,023	147,993	14,353	145,627	13,115
424	Nondurable goods	2,152,903	405,894	1,951,470	374,805	1,803,141	347,026	1,641,899	268,382	1,513,340	241,880	1,414,025	196,879
4241	Paper and paper products	92,809	14,644	90,976	13,274	87,454	11,032	81,584	9,176	73,895	7,783	72,646	5,842
4242	Drugs, drug proprietaries and druggists' sundries	358,632	(S)	347,012	(S)	329,089	229,641	296,556	(S)	273,546	147,007	245,625	125,060
4243	Apparel, piece goods and notions	120,315	28,766	117,801	26,878	112,861	27,887	108,432	23,237	104,392	21,871	105,803	18,506
4244	Groceries and related products	501,127	52,594	448,820	45,324	428,420	39,683	409,743	34,813	405,322	32,220	385,881	21,792
4245	Farm-products raw materials	171,962	(S)	130,801	5,431	118,555	5,031	122,997	5,163	115,129	4,226	103,403	3,900
4246	Chemicals and allied products	95,126	4,921	89,559	4,410	88,203	(D)	76,369	(D)	69,736	(D)	67,721	(D)
4247	Petroleum and petroleum products	491,834	(S)	426,094	9,994	350,094	(D)	274,942	(D)	225,707	10,649	192,666	9,639
4248	Beer, wine, and distilled beverages	100,894	3,327	96,440	3,367	90,370	3,210	85,607	(S)	82,215	(D)	79,189	(D)
4249	Miscellaneous nondurable goods	220,204	27,706	203,967	22,437	198,095	18,157	185,669	16,913	163,398	13,242	161,091	8,238

(S) Estimate does not meet publication standards because of high sampling variability or poor response quality. Unpublished estimates derived from this table by subtraction are subject to these same limitations and should not be attributed to the U.S. Census Bureau.

(D) Estimate is withheld to avoid disclosing data of individual companies; these data are included in broader industry totals.

Note: Estimates are not adjusted for price changes. For information on confidentiality protection, sampling error, nonsampling error, sample design, and definitions, visit <[http://www.census.gov/wholesale/www/how\\_surveys\\_are\\_collected/annual\\_methodology.html](http://www.census.gov/wholesale/www/how_surveys_are_collected/annual_methodology.html)>.

<sup>1</sup> Estimates include data only for businesses with paid employees.

<sup>2</sup> Manufacturers' Sales Branches and Offices

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Annual Wholesale Trade Survey